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PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION OF SOUTH CAROLINA COMMISSION DIRECTIVE

ADMINISTRATIVE MATTER		DATE	February 06, 2019
MOTOR CARRIER MATTER	✓	DOCKET NO.	2019-46-T
UTILITIES MATTER		ORDER NO.	

SUBJECT:

Docket No. 2019-46-T - Application of Walter Chambers d/b/a W & S Transportation for a Class C (Non-Emergency) Certificate of Public Convenience and Necessity for Operation of Motor Vehicle Carrier.

COMMISSION ACTION:

Approve the Application of Walter Chambers d/b/a W & S Transportation for a Class C (Non-Emergency) Certificate. At the request of the Commission, the Office of Regulatory Staff investigated whether Mr. Chambers' proposed tariff was in compliance with the Americans with Disabilities Act. As part of its investigation, the ORS consulted with LogistiCare Solutions, LLC, contracted through the South Carolina Department of Health and Human Services to be the statewide Non-Emergency Medical Transportation Broker responsible for coordinating transportation for patients. Legal and administrative staff for LogistiCare verified for ORS that the ADA does not deal specifically with pricing or safety, only accessibility. As such, charging a higher rate for a wheelchair accessible vehicle does not violate the ADA, and the ORS has therefore come to the belief that the rates proposed in Mr. Chambers' application are in compliance with the ADA.

PRESIDING:	<u>Randall</u>				SESSION: Regular	TIME:	2:00 p.m.
	MOTION	YES	NO	OTHER			
ERVIN		✓					
HAMILTON				<u>Absent</u>	Sick Leave		
HOWARD		✓					
RANDALL		✓					
WHITFIELD		✓					
WILLIAMS	✓	✓					

